

Gilhooly Stephen J
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 Gilhooly Stephen J

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 1ST CONSTITUTION BANCORP [FCY]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
 (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 C/O 1ST CONSTITUTION BANCORP, 2650 ROUTE 130
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 01/04/2019

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
 ____ Officer (give title below) ____ Other (specify below)
 SVP, CFO and Treasurer

CRANBURY, NJ 08512

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	01/04/2019		A	(A) or (D)	1,000 \$ 0 9,575	D	

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)
Stock option (right to buy)	\$ 19.38	01/04/2019		A	1,000	(2) 01/04/2029	Common Stock	1,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Gilhooly Stephen J C/O 1ST CONSTITUTION BANCORP 2650 ROUTE 130 CRANBURY, NJ 08512			SVP, CFO and Treasurer	

Signatures

/s/ Stephen J. Gilhooly
01/08/2019
 **Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
 - (1) Performance-based restricted stock grant of 1,000 shares at target. This target award will vest pro-rata in three annual installments commencing in 2020, subject to achievement of pre-established performance metrics. The ultimate number of shares earned, if any, will depend upon performance achievement measured over each annual period during the period from January 1, 2019 through December 31, 2021. If performance measures are achieved, the restricted shares will vest on the date of certification of performance achievement by the Compensation Committee following each annual period.
 - (2) Grant of 1,000 stock options that become exercisable in equal annual installments on January 4, 2020, January 4, 2021, January 4, 2022, January 4, 2023 and January 4, 2024.

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